

Manuel de Almeida Ribeiro

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Of Counsel

Of Counsel at SRS with over 40 years of experience, Manuel de Almeida Ribeiro has vast knowledge in various areas of law, with a profound specialisation in Arbitration and Mediation, as well as Energy.

Manuel was Assistant to the Portuguese Minister for Housing, Public Works and Transport, Advisor to the Portuguese Prime Minister, member of the Management Board and Liquidator of EPDP - *Empresa Pública do Jornal Diário Popular*, General Manager of Legal Services at *Petrogal*, Director of Legal Consultancy at the *Galp Energia* Group, and an Associate Professor at the Instituto Superior de Ciências Sociais e Políticas da Universidade de Lisboa.

He has completed his academic qualifications in Portugal and Brazil, being a member of the Bar Association of both countries, as well as the Portuguese Arbitration Association, the Portuguese Society of International Law, the International Chamber of Commerce, the International Law Association and the American Bar Association.

Focus Areas
Arbitration & Mediation
Energy

Languages
Portuguese
English
French
Spanish

SRS Global
Europe

Experience

- Between 1998 to 2015 - Tenured Professor of the Instituto Superior de Ciências Sociais e Políticas of the University of Lisbon
- Between 2000 to 2014 - Head of Legal Consultancy of Grupo Galp Energia
- Between 1995 to 1999 - General Legal Counsel of Petróleos de Portugal – Petrogal S.A.
- Between 1991 to 1995 - Advisor of the Prime Minister
- Between 1990 to 1991 - Liquidation manager of EPDP – Empresa Pública do Jornal Diário Popular
- Between 1988 to 1990 - Member of the board of EPDP – Empresa Pública do Jornal Diário Popular
- 1982 - Advisor of the Minister of Housing, Public Works and Transports
- 1982 - Advisor of the Minister of Transports and Communications

Qualifications

- Aggregation in Legal and Political Sciences from the Technical University of Lisbon
- Phd in Political Science from the Technical University of Lisbon
- Law Degree from Rio de Janeiro State University

Associations

- Portuguese Bar Association
- Brazilian Bar Association
- APA - Associação Portuguesa de Arbitragem
- Sociedade Portuguesa de Direito Internacional
- ICC - International Chamber of Commerce
- International Law Association
- American Bar Association